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Monopolies are bad for business. They control prices and services, while costing jobs and destroying local economies. The monopoly can be all of one type of business or all the businesses in a specific socio-economic band. Wal-Mart is the latter. It has already taken the place of local hardware, auto parts, clothing, toy, fabric/hobby, drug, and grocery stores. They've already moving into local gas station/convenience store territory. Allowing this merchantile giant into financing would not only threaten community financing, but invest in Wal-Mart total control of the economy wherever it cared to take it. Corporations currently have the rights of persons, but not the accountability. Do not give them that kind of overwhelming power.

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